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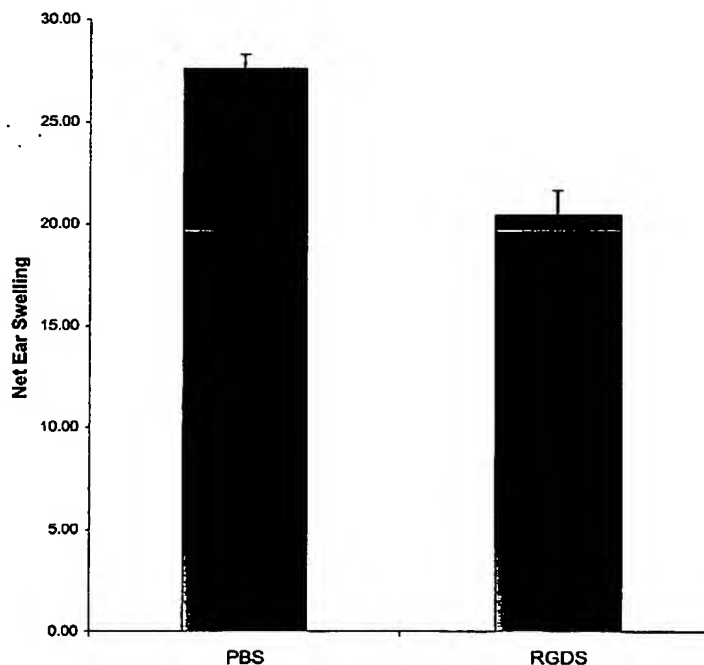
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(57) Abstract: A composition of matter capable of producing an anti-inflammatory response in vivo in a mammal comprises bodies having a three-dimensional core structure of conformation and size from about 20nm to about 500 m and expressing or expressible on the surface thereof RGDS ligands which will react, optionally in the presence of adapter molecules, with at least one specific receptor wherein the binding of said ligand with said receptors produces an anti-inflammatory response in vivo in said mammal.



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Although claim 13 is directed to a method of treatment of the human/animal body, the search has been carried out and based on the alleged effects of the compound/composition.

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Rule 39.1(iv) PCT - Method for treatment of the human or animal body by therapy

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